



TO: Handicap Managers

SUBJECT: Handicapping and Course Rating when Bunkers are out of Play

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When Bunkers are filled with casual water, damaged or being renovated, the following table provides guidance for Clubs to follow when processing Competitions.

Number of bunkers out of play	Period of Time	Contact State Association	Impact on Club's Scratch Rating
0 to 5	1 month or less	No	None
0 to 5	More than 1 month	Yes	Possible
6 or more	1-4 days	No	None
6 or more	5 days or more	Yes	Possible

A Temporary Rating Application Form for Bunkers is available on the website under Course Rating and Handicapping.

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